

What is claimed is:

1. (Currently Amended) A cover for a golf club head comprising:
a rigid lightweight shell having a contoured to the shape of a predetermined animal
and forming a center ~~cavity~~, inner cavity and an opposing outer surface;
an outer soft shell made of soft plush cloth material having markings representing
the fur of the predetermined animal securely attached to the outer surface of the rigid shell and
having an open end for receiving the golf club head;
and means for restricting movement of the golf club head when disposed in the
cavity.
2. (Original) The cover of claim 1 further comprising at least one of glass,
plastic and rubber features secured to the outer soft shell for representing eyes or horns, teeth or
other facial portions of the predetermined animal.
3. (Original) The cover of claim 1 further comprising a ribbed cylinder
member secured around the open end for protecting a portion of the shaft.
4. (Original) The cover of claim 1, further comprising a pocket in the
cavity and secured around the open end.
5. (Original) The cover of claim 3, further comprising a pocket in the
cavity secured to the ribbed cylindrical member and around the open end, said cylindrical
member providing protection for a portion of a shaft of the golf club.
6. (Currently Amended) The cover of claim 4, wherein the means for
restricting movement of the golf club includes soft fiber ~~filler~~ stuffing filling in the cavity
between the pocket and the rigid shell.

7. (Original) The cover of claim 4, wherein the pocket has an elastic means attached to a center portion of the pocket for allowing the pocket to expand.

8. (Withdrawn) A method for making a golf club head comprising the steps of:

making a mold of at least a head portion of an animal;
forming a rigid lightweight shell of at least the head portion from the mold;
covering the rigid lightweight shell with an outer soft shell made of soft plush material having markings representing the fur of the predetermined animal;
leaving an open end in the outer soft shell for receiving a club head therein; and
providing means for restricting movement of the golf club head when the golf club head is disposed in the cavity.

9. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 8 further comprising the step of securing at least one of glass, plastic and rubber features to the outer soft shell for representing eyes, horns, teeth, or other facial portions of the predetermined animal.

10. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 8, further comprising the step of securing a ribbed cylindrical member around the open end for protecting a portion of the shaft.

11. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 10, further comprising the step of securing a pocket to the ribbed cylindrical member and around the open end wherein the pocket is positioned in the cavity and said pocket provided for receiving the head of the golf club.

12. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 11, further comprising the step of attaching elastic means to the pocket for allowing the pocket to expand.

13. (New) A cover for a golf club head comprising:

a rigid lightweight shell with a contoured shaped head of a predetermined animal having an outer surface and an inner center cavity, said outer surface having facial features carved therein, said facial features including carved cavities for a mouth and eyes;

an outer soft shell made of soft plush material having markings representing the fur of the predetermined animal, said outer soft shell securely attached to the outer surface of the rigid shell and having an open end for receiving the golf club head; and

means for restricting movement of the golf club head when disposed in the cavity.

14. (New) The cover of claim 13 further comprising at least one glass, plastic, and rubber feature secured to the outer soft shell for representing eyes, horns, teeth, or other facial portions of the predetermined animal.

15. (New) The cover of claim 13 further comprises a pocket having a closed end and an opposing end, said closed end of the pocket attached to a central portion of the inner center cavity

16. (New) The cover of claim 15 wherein the means for restricting movement of the golf club includes soft fiber stuffing which fills the cavity between the pocket and the rigid shell.

17. (New) the cover of claim 13 further comprising at least one glass, plastic, and rubber feature representing at least one of a mouth and eyes secured to the outer soft shell and positioned in the carved cavities of the rigid shell.